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TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS IN JHARKHAND
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons on the waiting list for telephone connections in Jharkhand as on February 28, 2001, district-wise; and

(b) the time by which waiting list are likely to be cleared?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) The number of persons on the waiting list for telephone connections in Jharkhand as on February 28, 2001 was 20660 and the district wise details is enclosed as Annexure `A`.

(b) Out of 20660 waiting list, 8400 has already been cleared and the rest is expected to be cleared by December 2001.

ANNEXURE `A`

Details of district wise waiting list of Jharkhand Telecom Circle as on 28.2.2001

S.N.	Name of the District	Waiting list as on 28.2.2001
1	Palamu	568
2	Garhwa	99
3	Latehar	121
4	Giridih	677
5	Chatra	168
6	Koderma	172
7	Hazaribag	2531
8	Dhanbad	1227
9	Bokaro	865
10	Ranchi	1769
11	Gumla	215
12	Lohargadda	121
13	Simdega	64
14	Deoghar	1918
15	Dumka	823
16	Godda	824
17	Jamtara	161
18	Pakur	91
19	Sahibganj	507
20	Singhbhum (East)	7135
21	Singhbhum (West)	604
	Total	20660